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SUBJECT: PROPOSAL DEVELOPMENT VISIT OF D. SCHNEIDERMAN

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1. DR. R.D. DESHPANDE, DIRECTOR INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION, DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (DST), AND DR. GURURAJA, DIRECTOR, NEW ENERGY SOURCES (DST), HAD SEVERAL DISCUSSIONS WITH SCICOUNS REGARDING PROJECT DEVELOPMENT VISIT OF DR. SCHNEIDERMAN, JET PROPULSION LABORATORY (JPL).

2. BHARAT HEAVY ELECTRICALS (BHEL) IS THE COLLABORATIVE INDIAN INSTITUTION WITH THE DST ON THE DISTRIBUTED SYSTEM PROJECT. BHEL HAS IDENTIFIED A TEAM MANAGER AND WILL PROVIDE A TEAM TO DO THIS PROJECT. DST WILL ALSO PROVIDE SOME STAFF FOR THIS TEAM. PROJECT FUNDING WILL, IN ALL PROBABILITY, COME MAINLY FROM BHEL COMPANY FUNDS AND DST.

3. DST CONSIDERS THE DISTRIBUTED SYSTEM A MAJOR PROJECT FOR EVENTUAL USE IN INDIAN VILLAGES. THEY ENVISION, THAT ONCE THE BASIC RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT IS COMPLETED, THEY WILL SET UP PILOT PROJECTS IN SEVERAL INDIAN VILLAGES TO DEMONSTRATE THE SYSTEM.

4. THE DISTRIBUTED SYSTEM SOLAR ENERGY PROJECT IS IN UNCLASSIFIED

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LINE WITH THE BASIC PRIORITIES OF THE NEW GOVERNMENT OF INDIA UNDER PRIME MINISTER DESAI IN THAT IT RESPONDS TO VILLAGE NEEDS. BOTH INDUSTRY AND RESEARCH LABORATORIES HAVE EXPRESSED INTEREST IN RESPONDING TO THESE NEEDS AND RECOGNIZE THAT SOLAR ENERGY PROJECTS ARE RELEVANT TO IMPROVING RURAL CONDITIONS.

5. DST IS LOOKING FOR A TIMELY AND FAVORABLE RESPONSE
TO THEIR REQUEST TO HAVE D. SCHNEIDERMAN COME TO INDIA
AND HELP DEVELOP THIS PROJECT PROPOSAL. AS NOTED ABOVE
AND IN REFTEL DST AND BHEL WILL PROVIDE THE PERSONNEL
NECESSARY TO DEVELOP THE PROPOSAL HERE AND WILL SEND A
TEAM TO THE U.S. TO FINALIZE IT.GOHEEN

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